

HOUSE BILL 1888

By Tindell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8,
Chapter 23, relative to payroll deduction for certain
associations or organizations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-23-204(a)(1), is amended by
adding the following language as a new subdivision:

() "Employee organization" means any organization in which employees
participate, which exists in whole or in part, to advance their interests in their
employment, training, or education.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-23-204(c), is amended by inserting
the language "or organization" after the language "association" wherever it appears.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-23-204, is amended by adding the
following language as a new subsection:

(h) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, the provisions of
subsection (c) shall apply to any employee of the University of Tennessee system who is
a member of an employee organization, if at least two hundred fifty (250) employees
who are members of such employee organization file a written request with the
administrative head of such system, indicating their desire to authorize deductions to be
made from any employee's compensation for the payment of membership dues and
benefit premiums to such employee organization.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.